

House Calendar No. 146

113TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. RES. 756

[Report No. 113–626]

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1422) to amend the Environmental Research, Development, and Demonstration Authorization Act of 1978 to provide for Scientific Advisory Board member qualifications, public participation, and for other purposes; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4012) to prohibit the Environmental Protection Agency from proposing, finalizing, or disseminating regulations or assessments based upon science that is not transparent or reproducible; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4795) to promote new manufacturing in the United States by providing for greater transparency and timeliness in obtaining necessary permits, and for other purposes; and providing for proceedings during the period from November 21, 2014, through November 28, 2014.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOVEMBER 17, 2014

Mr. BURGESS, from the Committee on Rules, reported the following resolution; which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

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mental Protection Agency from proposing, finalizing, or disseminating regulations or assessments based upon science that is not transparent or reproducible; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4795) to promote new manufacturing in the United States by providing for greater transparency and timeliness in obtaining necessary permits, and for other purposes; and providing for proceedings during the period from November 21, 2014, through November 28, 2014.

1 *Resolved*, That upon adoption of this resolution it
2 shall be in order to consider in the House the bill (H.R.
3 1422) to amend the Environmental Research, Develop-
4 ment, and Demonstration Authorization Act of 1978 to
5 provide for Scientific Advisory Board member qualifica-
6 tions, public participation, and for other purposes. All
7 points of order against consideration of the bill are waived.
8 The amendment in the nature of a substitute rec-
9 ommended by the Committee on Science, Space, and Tech-
10 nology now printed in the bill shall be considered as adopt-
11 ed. The bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. All
12 points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended,
13 are waived. The previous question shall be considered as
14 ordered on the bill, as amended, and on any further
15 amendment thereto, to final passage without intervening
16 motion except: (1) one hour of debate equally divided and
17 controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of
18 the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology; (2) the

1 further amendment printed in part A of the report of the
2 Committee on Rules accompanying this resolution, if of-
3 fered by Representative Stewart of Utah or his designee,
4 which shall be in order without intervention of any point
5 of order, shall be considered as read, shall be separately
6 debatable for 10 minutes equally divided and controlled
7 by the proponent and an opponent, and shall not be sub-
8 ject to a demand for division of the question; and (3) one
9 motion to recommit with or without instructions.

10 SEC. 2. At any time after adoption of this resolution
11 the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 2(b) of rule XVIII,
12 declare the House resolved into the Committee of the
13 Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration
14 of the bill (H.R. 4012) to prohibit the Environmental Pro-
15 tection Agency from proposing, finalizing, or dissemi-
16 nating regulations or assessments based upon science that
17 is not transparent or reproducible. The first reading of
18 the bill shall be dispensed with. All points of order against
19 consideration of the bill are waived. General debate shall
20 be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equal-
21 ly divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minor-
22 ity member of the Committee on Science, Space, and
23 Technology. After general debate the bill shall be consid-
24 ered for amendment under the five-minute rule. It shall
25 be in order to consider as an original bill for the purpose

1 of amendment under the five-minute rule an amendment
2 in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules
3 Committee Print 113-57. That amendment in the nature
4 of a substitute shall be considered as read. All points of
5 order against that amendment in the nature of a sub-
6 stitute are waived. No amendment to that amendment in
7 the nature of a substitute shall be in order except those
8 printed in part B of the report of the Committee on Rules
9 accompanying this resolution. Each such amendment may
10 be offered only in the order printed in the report, may
11 be offered only by a Member designated in the report,
12 shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time
13 specified in the report equally divided and controlled by
14 the proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to
15 amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand for divi-
16 sion of the question in the House or in the Committee
17 of the Whole. All points of order against such amendments
18 are waived. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill
19 for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the
20 bill to the House with such amendments as may have been
21 adopted. Any Member may demand a separate vote in the
22 House on any amendment adopted in the Committee of
23 the Whole to the bill or to the amendment in the nature
24 of a substitute made in order as original text. The previous
25 question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and

1 amendments thereto to final passage without intervening
2 motion except one motion to recommit with or without in-
3 structions.

4 SEC. 3. At any time after adoption of this resolution
5 the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 2(b) of rule XVIII,
6 declare the House resolved into the Committee of the
7 Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration
8 of the bill (H.R. 4795) to promote new manufacturing in
9 the United States by providing for greater transparency
10 and timeliness in obtaining necessary permits, and for
11 other purposes. The first reading of the bill shall be dis-
12 pensed with. All points of order against consideration of
13 the bill are waived. General debate shall be confined to
14 the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and
15 controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of
16 the Committee on Energy and Commerce. After general
17 debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under
18 the five-minute rule. The bill shall be considered as read.
19 All points of order against provisions in the bill are
20 waived. No amendment to the bill shall be in order except
21 those printed in part C of the report of the Committee
22 on Rules accompanying this resolution. Each such amend-
23 ment may be offered only in the order printed in the re-
24 port, may be offered only by a Member designated in the
25 report, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for

1 the time specified in the report equally divided and con-
2 trolled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be
3 subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a de-
4 mand for division of the question in the House or in the
5 Committee of the Whole. All points of order against such
6 amendments are waived. At the conclusion of consider-
7 ation of the bill for amendment the Committee shall rise
8 and report the bill to the House with such amendments
9 as may have been adopted. The previous question shall
10 be considered as ordered on the bill and amendments
11 thereto to final passage without intervening motion except
12 one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

13 SEC. 4. On any legislative day during the period from
14 November 21, 2014, through November 28, 2014—

15 (a) the Journal of the proceedings of the previous day
16 shall be considered as approved; and

17 (b) the Chair may at any time declare the House ad-
18 journed to meet at a date and time, within the limits of
19 clause 4, section 5, article I of the Constitution, to be an-
20 nounced by the Chair in declaring the adjournment.

21 SEC. 5. The Speaker may appoint Members to per-
22 form the duties of the Chair for the duration of the period
23 addressed by section 4 of this resolution as though under
24 clause 8(a) of rule I.

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